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"4.29.62.


"Sobell Committee Dinner

"Place: Hungarian Hall

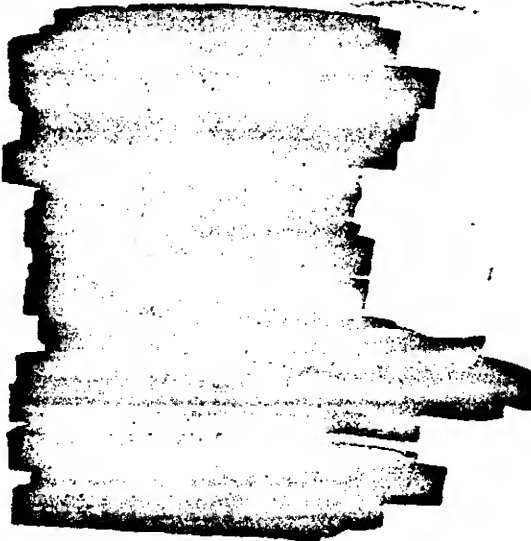
"Date: April 21st, 1962

"Time: 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

"This dinner was attended by over one hundred people. Both rooms were filled and people had to wait to be served. The dinner was late in being served, the people visited. Mrs. ROSE SOBELL, visited around with those present. Many people left after the dinner, all were asked for a donation as they left.



"Noted attending this affair,



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ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could furnish no additional information.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

The following names are being indexed to this memo:

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APPENDIX

COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR MORTON SOBELL

A source advised on May 4, 1961, that the Los Angeles Sobell Committee is the Los Angeles, California, affiliate of captioned organization.

"Following the execution of atomic spies ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG in June, 1953, the 'Communist campaign assumed a different emphasis. Its major effort centered upon MORTON SOBELL', the ROSENBERGS' codefendant. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg case - a Communist front which had been conducting the campaign in the United States - was reconstituted as the National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee at a conference in Chicago in October, 1953, and 'then as the National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg case'...."

("Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications", Revised December 1, 1961, page 116.)

In September, 1954, the name "National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell" appeared on literature issued by the Committee. In March, 1955, the current name, "Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell", first appeared on literature issued by the Committee.

The 1960-61 Borough of Manhattan telephone directory lists the "Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell" as being located at 940 Broadway, New York, New York.

APPENDIX

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (97-16) DATE: 6/6/62

FROM: SA [REDACTED] 87C

SUBJECT: "PEOPLE'S WORLD" (PW)  
REGISTRATION ACT

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
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[REDACTED]	5/20/62	5/23/62	Writer	[REDACTED]
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reliable  
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and whose  
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Informant's report is quoted as follows:

CC: 1 New York (REGISTERED)  
(100-128269)(ROSE SOBELL)

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"5/20/62

"Date,  
May 20, 1962  
Place,  
554 So. Van Ness, home of Atty DAVID V. EASTON  
Time,  
3 P.M. - 7-30 P.M.  
Feature,  
Dinner & Lecture  
Speaker,  
JEAN PESTANA  
Topic  
Cuba,  
Sponsor,  
People's World  
Attendance,  
About 75, among those present were,



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ROSE SOBEL



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"JEAN PESTANA told about the experiences she and ROSE ROSENBERG had as Freedom Riders to Jacksonville, Miss., and having been sent to jail four times.

"From Jacksonville they went to Mexico, and from there to Cuba.

"She found the Cubans doing all they could to help CASTRO.

"She said, 'Cubans could attend any church they wished.'

"Negroes are on an equal basis with white people, there is no discrimination.'

"There is not an over abundance of food, but every one has enough to eat and the same amount.' 'Two chickens per month each and 3/4 pound of meat a week.'

"The farmers take their share first and then ship their produce to the markets.'

"Education is very important and 1000 students were sent to Russia to complete their education and only three failed.'

"They are trying to develop their oil fields and refineries, and also the sugar cane plantations.'


"The people love CASTRO and are all working for the good of Cuba.'

"CASTRO keeps informed on everything that happens in Cuba, on the schools all the factories etc. and makes unexpected inspection.'

"There are many people from England and Europe there.'

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"Cuba is a garden of paradise, with its beautiful beaches, climate etc. and is the playground of the world."




ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could furnish no additional information.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

The following names are being indexed to this memo:



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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-49599) DATE 6-11-62

FROM : SA [REDACTED] B7C

SUBJECT: JEWISH FRATERNAL COORDINATING  
COMMITTEE  
IS - C

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
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[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, and whose identity should be concealed.	American Jewish Cultural Club meeting 5-5-62 B7D	5-16-62	WRITER	[REDACTED] B7D
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Informant furnished a written report which is  
quoted verbatim as follows:

CC: [REDACTED] B7D

1. - NEW YORK (REGISTERED)  
(ROSE SOBELL 100-128869)

LDJ:mak

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READ BY

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"May 6/62

"May 5/62 Park Manor, 607 S Western -  
Jewish American Culture Club -  
About 60 people attended

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Informant also furnished a leaflet re a JACC dinner  
& concert 5-5-62

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ACTION

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning  
the above and could add nothing further.

All necessary action in connection with this memo  
has been taken by the writer.

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APPENDIX

JEWISH FRATERNAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE, formerly known as Jewish Information Service (Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs; Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association)

On May 3, 1961, a source reported that it was announced at a meeting of the Westside Jewish Cultural Club in Los Angeles on February 3, 1961, that the Jewish Information Service was to be known henceforth as the Jewish Fraternal Co-Ordinating Committee.

This source had previously advised on May 2, 1960, that the Jewish Information Service was formed about January, 1954, in Los Angeles for the purpose of continuing "Cultural" activity of the International Workers Order. Prior to March 4, 1956, the Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs were identified as the Los Angeles Jewish Cultural Clubs, this group being formerly known as Lodges of the Jewish People's Fraternal Order. The Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs are currently active in the Los Angeles area.

The Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association was formed about January, 1954, for the purpose of continuing the activity of the Jewish People's Fraternal Order Medical Plan. Since that date the functioning of the Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association has been integrated into the operation of the Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs, inasmuch as the service provided by the Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association is made available almost exclusively to members of the Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs; further, effort is made to have members of the Los Angeles Jewish Cultural and Fraternal Clubs also become members of the Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association.

The Fraternal Medical Plan of the California Fraternal Service Association is currently active in the Los Angeles area.

The International Workers Order and the Jewish People's Fraternal Order have been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

SOURCE:

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JEWISH FRATERNAL COORDINATING  
COMMITTEE, formerly known as  
Jewish Information Service  
(LOS ANGELES JEWISH CULTURAL  
AND FRATERNAL CLUBS; FRATERNAL  
MEDICAL PLAN OF THE CALIFORNIA  
FRATERNAL SERVICE ASSOCIATION)

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SUBJECT Rose Sabell

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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE:

Rose Sobell

Office File

NY 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: Apt. A 12, 2400 Davidson Ave. Bronx, N. Y.

Employment: Housewife

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

 Detcom  
 Photo

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [redacted]

Residence: Unknown, [redacted]

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source:

Date: 10-25-62

Verified by SA:

Employment:

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation

Key Facility:

☐ Yes  
☒ No

☐ Yes  
☒ No

☐ Yes  
☒ No

☐ Yes  
☒ No

Date Checked:

Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom:

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☐ Yes  
☒ No

☐ Yes  
☒ No

☐ Yes  
☒ No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date: 10-25-62 same as above

Verified by SA:

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau:

☒ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

☐ Yes  
☐ No

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10-25-62

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☐ Does Not Meet SI Criteria

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Agent's Initials:

F/H

Date

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100-128869-326

SAC, NEWARK

10/31/62

SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869) (P)

ROSE SOBELL  
SM - C

cc: NY

This subject is included in the SI.

Information has been received from the office of the Postal Inspector, Main Post Office, NYC, that subject has moved from 2400 Davidson Avenue, Bronx, NY, to 379 Congress Street, New Milford, New Jersey.

Newark is requested to verify subject's residence at above address and advise NY expeditiously in view of her SI inclusion.

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1-New York (100-128869)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869)

DATE: 12/4/62

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-43843) (P)

SUBJECT: ROSE SOBELL  
SM-C

67d On 11/21/62 [REDACTED] Clerk, U.S. Post Office, New Milford, N.J., advised that he learned from [REDACTED] Postal Carrier, covering address 379 Congress St., New Milford, N.J., that the subject, in the recent past, has occasionally received mail at this address. He stated that the owners of this address, a one-family house, is (FNU) CRYSTAL. He had no knowledge concerning this latter individual. He agreed to be alert to information concerning the residence of ROSE SOBELL.

The Bergen County Telephone Directory lists JESSE CRYSTALL, 379 Congress St., New Milford, N.J.

The records of the Garden State Credit Bureau, 429 Getty Ave., Clifton, N.J., as reviewed by [REDACTED] Receptionist, on 11/15/62, did not disclose a credit record for ROSE SOBELL. 67d

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67d On 11/26/62, [REDACTED] Clerk, Bergen County Board of Elections, Bergen County Courthouse, Hackensack, N.J., advised that the subject has not registered with the Board of Elections. 67d, c

The indices of the Newark Office as checked on 11/23/62 did not disclose any identifiable information concerning JESSE CRYSTALL as identified.

In view of New York lead, it is requested that New York furnish Newark a photo of the subject that could be

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1 - Newark  
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used in locating subject at above address. It is also requested that New York indices be checked concerning JESSE CRYSTALL for identifying information concerning him that would be useful in investigation concerning ROSE SOBELL.

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Employee \_\_\_\_\_

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SAC, NEWARK (100-43843)

1/7/63

SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869) (P)

ROSE SOBELL  
SM - C  
(OO: NEW YORK)

Reurlet 12/4/62.

Indices references NYO, reflect BEVERLY CRYSTALL is the daughter of the subject, the sister of MORTON SOBELL, and the wife of JESSE CRYSTALL, long-time employee of Pyrometer Instrument Co., Bergenfield, N.J., as an instrument maker.

Newark requested to continue investigation to determine whether subject is residing with CRYSTALLS at 379 Congress St., New Milford, N.J.

A photograph of subject is enclosed.

2 - Newark (100-43843) (Encl. 1) (RM)  
1 - New York (100-128869)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869)

FROM : *PWB cut* SAC, NEWARK (100-43843) (RUC)

SUBJECT: ROSE SOBELL  
SM - C  
(OO: NEW YORK)

DATE: 2/11/63

Re New York letter dated 1/7/63.

On 1/31/63, [REDACTED] postal carrier, U. S. Post Office, New Milford, N. J., advised that the subject receives mail at the residence 379 Congress Street, New Milford, N. J. around the first of each month. He stated that this was the only indication that he had that she was possibly residing at this address. He stated that he has never seen the subject, but would be alert to her presence in the future.

Observations were conducted in the neighborhood of 379 Congress Street, New Milford, N. J., but the subject was not observed.

On 2/6/63, [REDACTED] postmaster, U. S. Post Office, New Milford, N. J., advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
the subject's mail is deliverable at this address at this time. It was his opinion [REDACTED] that the subject is currently residing at this address.

In view of above no further investigation is being conducted at this time.

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1-Newark  
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379	11/29/63	NK letter to HQ	1	→	Bu file 100-429455
379	11/29/63	Copy of ABOVE NK letter	1	→	Bu file 100-429455
380	11/29/63	NK letter to HQ	1	→	Bu file 100-429455
381	12/31/63	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to CG	6	→	NY file 100-107111-1 P1268 100-109849-1319
382	2/19/64	NY letter to HQ	1	→	Bu file 100-429455
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384	3/24/64	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to CG	6	→	NY file 100-107111-1
385	4/23/64	capt: Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC	2	→	NY file 100-107111-1
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387	4/27/64	Capt. Sabell Committee SA letter to NY	1	-	NY file 100-107117
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394	6/4/64	Copy of ABOVE NY Report	13	-	Bu file 100-429455
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398	6/24/64	capt. Sobell Committee NY letter to CG	5	-	NY file 100-107111
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400	7/2/64	NY INFORMANT Report	5	-	NY file 100-109849-1374 FILE
401	8/28/64	SA memo to SAC	1	-	
402	8/31/64	capt. Sobell Committee NY letter to DE	5	-	NY file 100-107111
403	9/9/64	capt. Sobell Committee NY letter to DE	4	-	NY file 100-109849
404	10/22/64	NY Verification of Informant	1	1	
405	10/26/64	capt. Sobell Committee NY letter to LA	5	-	NY file 100-107111
406	11/12/64	capt. Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC, NY	6	-	NY file 100-107111
407	12/2/64	capt. third party SA memo to SAC, LA	2	-	NY file 100-371587-2164 FILE
408	12/12/64	capt. Sobell Committee NY letter to CI	4	-	NY file 100-107111

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Re: Rose

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410	12/31/64	capt: LA Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC, LA	5	-	NY file 100-37158
411	12/23/64	capt: LA Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC, LA	5	5	NY file 100-109849
412	12/29/64	capt: LA Sobell Committee SA letter to LA	3	1	NY file 100-109849
413	12/30/64	capt: Third Party SA memo to SAC, LA	3	1	
414	1/4/65	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to KC	3	-	NY file 100-107111
415	2/8/65	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to DE	7	-	NY file 100-107111
416	12/24/64	capt: Third Party SA memo to SAC, SF	3	-	NY file 100-37158
417	1/5/65	capt: Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC, LA	6	-	NY file 100-109849
418	2/15/65	capt: LA Sobell Committee SA memo to SAC, LA	3	0	
419	4/28/65	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to WFO	2	-	NY file 100-107111
420	5/27/65	capt: Sobell Committee NY letter to BS	7	-	NY file 100-107111



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~~of 25/65~~

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37158 (Don Martin  
hall)

109849 daughter  
of H. J. J.

C 12/23/64

F. L. Gaulty 45 4/25/64

~~1st Sgt. H. H. 45~~

~~1st Sgt. H. H. 45~~

C. H. H. 45 12-10-63

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SAC, NEW YORK

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- 1 - New York (100-145672) (NYD PUBLIC APPEARANCES OF PARTY LEADERS) (414)
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March 16, 1964

A buffet dinner was held to honor Dr. WILLARD UPHAUS on March 15, 1964 at the Marc Ballroom, 27 Union Square West, New York, New York.

After the dinner MIRIAM FRIEDLANDER, executive secretary of the Citizens Committee for Constitutional Liberties which sponsored the affair, addressed the group. She spoke of Dr. UPHAUS as a light comparable to that hanging in the North Church which warned that the British were coming during the Revolutionary War. She also spoke about the McCarran Act saying that this was the year to carry the message against it to the people.

MIRIAM FRIEDLANDER introduced HENRY ABRAMS as one who had been active in the peace movement. He handled the remainder of the program. ROBERT THOMPSON was introduced as a representative of the Communist Party. He did not speak. STEWART MEACHAM, a Quaker, spoke about the McCarran Act. Mr. MEACHAM said that people were condemned after being identified with an ideology. He said that the McCarran Act forbade people the ability to develop relationships with other people and that they were forced into isolation. He said that the Communist Party had representatives in the gathering because they were bound up with the struggle not to be condemned on a characterization.

LEE HAYS said that he knew Dr. UPHAUS and his wife from Arkansas and joked throughout his entire speech.

JOHN RANDOLPH said that he had been subpoenaed by the House Un-American Activities Committee. He read from portions of Dr. UPHAUS' book Commitment.

HERTA WARE lead in folksinging and WILLIAM MALONEY read poetry.


ANNETTE RUBINSTEIN said that she had lectured at World Fellowship at the request of Dr. UPHAUS when he was in prison in New Hampshire.

Rabbi ROBERT E. GOLDBURG said that he had known Dr. UPHAUS at Yale University and that he was the only clergyman that he (GOLDBURG) listened to. He said that he was on his way to Washington, D.C. to help honor AUBREY WILLIAMS and thereby he was against the House Un-American Activities Committee.



Dr. UPHAUS spoke against the McCarran Act as repressive. He repeated what STEWART MEACHAM said about what it means to be a full human being and not cut off from our development of human relationships. He said that man must be lifted from their plateaus.

Approximately 300 people attended this affair.  
Rev. WM. WELLS made the pitch for money.



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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE:

ROSE SOBELL aka  
100-128869

Office File

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York 33, New York

Employment: Unknown

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [REDACTED] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

b-7-E

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [REDACTED]

Residence: [REDACTED]

Method of Verification: [REDACTED]

Neighborhood: [REDACTED]

Date: [REDACTED]

Verified by SA: [REDACTED]

Employment: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Labor Union Affiliation: [REDACTED]

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: [REDACTED]

Employment Source: [REDACTED]

Date: [REDACTED]

Verified by SA: [REDACTED]

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☒ Yes ☐ No

File Reviewed [REDACTED]

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials: [REDACTED]

NOTED

SI UNIT

DATE 5/4/64

Geographical Reference Number

100-128869-389

b-7-C

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869)

DATE:

8/28/64

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

b-7-C

SUBJECT: ROSE SOBELL

On 7/30/64 [REDACTED] b-7-C

U.S. Post office 4558 Broadway, NYC. ascertained through the Washington Bridge Post office that the subject still resides at 142. Canal Hill Terrace, N.Y.

[REDACTED]

she was still living there . b7c

Recommendation

close

Chief Clerk:  
Close Case on this 8/5/64

SEARCHED [REDACTED]	INDEXED [REDACTED]
SERIALIZED [REDACTED]	FILED [REDACTED]
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FBI - NEW YORK	

b-7-C



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100-128869-401

## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: ROSE SOBELL  
100-128869

Office File

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York, 33, New York

Employment: Housewife, Part time Saleslady, Thrift Shop

Address: 1553 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ No

b-7-E

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b-7-E

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

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Residence: Same [REDACTED]

Method of Verification: [REDACTED]

Neighborhood Source: [REDACTED]

Date: 12/14/64

Verified by SA: [REDACTED]

Employment: Same [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED]

Labor Union Affiliation: [REDACTED]

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: [REDACTED]

Employment Source: [REDACTED]

Date: 12/21/64

Verified by SA: [REDACTED]

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed 12/23/64

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials: [REDACTED]

Date Checked

12/15/64

OPEN (OR REOPEN) CASE

ORIGINAL FILE 100-128869

SUBV. SECT 45

Geographical Reference Number

NO UNIT

S: UNIT

DATE 12/28/64

CORE

100-128869-404

Chief Clerk

Close Case on this.

DEC 23 1964

b-7-C

OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-41648) DATE: 12/23/64

FROM: [REDACTED]

b-7-C

SUBJECT: LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE FOR MORTON SOBELL (LACSJMS)  
IS-C

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
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[REDACTED]	Luncheon in honor of ROSE SOBELL, 12/5/64.	12/14/64	Writer	[REDACTED]
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Informant's report is quoted as follows:

cc: 1 - New York (REGISTERED)  
100- (ROSE SOBELL)

100-128869-67 \*

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100-46859 (ROSE SOBELL)

100-31730 (HUNGARIAN HALL)

100-33973 (FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH)  
100-6438 ("THE NATION")  
100-31584 ("THE GUARDIAN")  
62-1664 (HCUA)

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"Date, Dec. 5, 1964  
Place, Hungarian Hall, 1251 So. St. Andrews Pl.  
Time, 12:30 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.  
Feature, Luncheon in honor of ROSE SOBELL  
Sponsor, Sobell Club or Committee  
Attendance, About 100, [REDACTED]

"ROSE SOBELL, honor guest.  
STANLEY HUGHES, entertainer  
NAT CORNER, master of ceremonies

[REDACTED]

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LA 100-41648

"A delicious luncheon was served, during which there were discussions on the MARK LANE report on the Warren Commission Report, which was held Fri. Dec. 4, in the Beverly Hills High School Auditorium. They all agreed with Mr. MARK LANE and thought the Warren Report was false. Someone said that J. EDGAR HOOVER must be replaced.

"The entertainer was STANLEY HUGHES of the First Unitarian Church, who sang and played the guitar.

"Mrs. ROSE SOBELL spoke of the 15 years MORTON had spent in prison, and that he was innocent of all charges. She hoped that he would soon have his freedom.

"She stated that they have changed attorneys and they will need \$2500 for expenses.

"There will be a new look on his case published by Double Day, off the press April 1 - 65, & they will need \$1000 for this, it will be sold at a low price.'

"NAT CORNER made the pitch [REDACTED] b7d

"Mrs. ROSE SOBELL also stated, 'They have 50,000 signatures for the repeal and that the Nation, the Guardian, The New Republic and the Los Angeles Times are all working for MORTON's freedom.'

"NAT CORNER stated that, 'he and his wife spent eight months on a world tour and he talked with many people about the MORTON SOBELL case and they all thought he should have his freedom.'

"BETTY CHESLEY ROTTGER spoke about the work to be done to abolish HUAC and said 'We need help of all kinds immediately as we have 35,000 pieces of literature to get in the mail as soon as possible, they are all petitions to abolish HUAC.'

[REDACTED]

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LA 100-41648

ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

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SOURCES: [REDACTED]

"Guide to Subversive Organizations"

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM \*\*\* UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-41648) DATE: 12/29/64

FROM: SA [REDACTED]

b-7-C

SUBJECT: LOS ANGELES SOBELL COMMITTEE (LASC)  
IS-C

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
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Write [REDACTED]

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1 - New York - REGISTERED  
100- (HOUSE SOBELL)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

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DATE: 12/30/64

**FROM**

SA

b-7-C

**SUBJECT:**

LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE TO  
SECURE JUSTICE FOR MORTON  
SOBELL (LAC SJMS)  
IS-C

**SOURCE**

## ACTIVITY

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AGENT

**LOCATION**

12/16/64

Writer

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CC: 1 - New York  
100-

(REGISTERED)  
(ROSE SOBELL)

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CEW:IAL  
(7)

Read by C. E. W.

*Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan*

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			Actual	Released	
421	6-23-65	NY VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
422	6-22-65	NY INFORMANT REPORT	2	0	NY FILE 100-107111
423	6-23-65	NY SUPV. MEMO TO SAC CAPT. CSJMS	1	1	
424	6-30-65	NYSA MEMO TO SAC	3	0	NY FILE 100-109849
425	7-7-65	NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
426	7-7-65	NY LETTER TO HQ (FD-366)	1	0	Bu file 100-429455
427	7-7-65	NY LETTER TO HQ (FD-122)	1	0	Bu file 100-429455
428	7-7-65	NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
429	7-16-65	NY REPORT TO HQ	11	0	Bu file 100-429455
429	9-16-65	COPY OF NY REPORT TO HQ	11	0	Bu file 100-429455
429	9-16-65	COPY OF NY REPORT TO HQ	11	0	Bu file 100-429455
430	?	HQ LETTER TO Gov't AGENT	1	0	Bu file 100-429455

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			Actual	Released	
431	7-19-65	CAPT: CP USA SF LETTER TO NY	20	0	
432	7-7-65	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	BU FILE 100-429455
433	7-13-65	CAPT: CSJMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-109849
434	7-13-65	NY INFORMANT REPORT	2	0	NY FILE 100-109849
435	7-28-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO NH	5	0	NY FILE 100-109849
436	8-20-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY SA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-107111
437	8-26-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO LA	8	0	NY FILE 100-109849
438	9-2-65	CAPT: CSJMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	4	0	NY FILE 100-109849
439	9-16-65	CAPT: FAR ROCKAWAY JEWISH READING CENTER NYSA MEMO TO SAC	3	2	
440	10-8-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY INFORMANT REPORT	3	0	NY FILE 100-109849
441	10-18-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO HN	6	0	NY FILE 100-109849
442	12-1-65	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	

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443	12-9-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO NK	3	0	NY FILE 100-109847
444	12-30-65	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO NH	6	0	NY FILE 100-109847
445	1-3-66	NY TO NH RE: CSJMS INFORMANT REPORT	2	0	NY FILE 100-109847
446	2-9-66	INFORMANT REPORT NY TO CG RE: CSJMS	2	0	NY FILE 100-107111
447	2-25-66	INFORMANT REPORT	2	0	NY FILE 100-109849
448	3-3-66	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO CG	6	0	NY FILE 100-109849
449	5-20-66	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS	1	1	
450	5-31-66	CAPT: CSJMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-109849
451	6-2-66	CAPT: CSJMS NY LETTER TO PH	6	0	NY FILE 100-109849
452	6-23-66	CAPT: CSJMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-109849
453	7-15-66	HQ LETTER TO SECRET SERVICE	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
454	7-15-66	NY REPORT TO HQ	9	0	Bufile 100-429455

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454	7-15-66	COPY OF NY REPORT TO HQ	9	0	Bufile 100-429455
454	7-15-66	COPY OF NY REPORT TO HQ	9	0	Bufile 100-429455
455		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
456		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
457		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
458		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
459	6-7-66	INDICES SEARCH SLIP	1	1	
460		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
461		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
462	8-30-66	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	BUFILE 101-2483
462	8-30-66	COPY OF HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	BUFILE 101-2483
463	9-30-66	ENC. TO 464 NY LHM TO HQ	4	0	Bufile 100-429455



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464	9-30-66	NY LETTER TO HQ	7	0	Bufile 100-429455
465	10-14-66	ENCLOSURE TO 446	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
466	10-14-66	NY LETTER TO HQ	2	0	Bufile 100-429455
		ENCLOSURE TO SERIAL 468			
467	11-2-66	WFO LHM ENC. TO 468	2	0	Bufile 100-429455
		COPY OF			
467	11-2-66	WFO LHM ENC TO 468	2	0	Bufile 100-429455
468	11-2-66	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
		COPY OF			
468	11-2-66	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
469		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	-	
470		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	-	
471		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	-	
472		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	-	
473	1-13-67	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	

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474	2-27-67	NY LETTER TO HQ (FD-122)	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
475	2-27-67	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
476		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
477		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
478		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
479	2-27-67	(FD-122) NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
480		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATE 7-18-67	0	—	
481		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
482	4-4-67	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
483	4-26-67	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS	1	1	
484	4-27-67	ENCLOSURE TO 485	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
485	4-27-67	(FD-122) NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 100-429455

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486		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
487		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
488		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
489		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 7-18-67	0	—	
490	5-24-67	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS	1	1	
491	4-27-67	(FD-122) NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	dup. of serial 484 Bw file 100-429455
492	5-12-67	CAPT: MORTON SOBELL NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-37158-2490
493	5-1-67	CAPT: L.A. SOBELL Comm. LASA MEMO TO SAC	3	0	NY FILE 100-37158
494	5-4-67	CAPT: COMM TO FREE M. SOBELL NY INFORMANT REPORT	2	2	Being Processed <del>NY FILE 100-107111</del>
495	5-5-67	CAPT: COMM TO FREE M. SOBELL NYSA TO SAC INFORMANT REPORT	2	2	Being Processed <del>NY FILE 100-107111</del>
496	5-8-67	CAPT: CFMS NY LETTER TO CV	9	0	F1286 R. 9-8-58 NY FILE 100-37158-2486
497	5-24-67	CAPT: CFMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	NY FILE 100-37158

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498	6-14-67	CAPT: CFMS NY LETTER TO DE	9	0	NY FILE 100-37158
499	6-16-67	CAPT: CFMS NY TO SF INFORMANT REPORT	5	0	NY FILE 100-109849
500	6-22-67	CAPT: CSJMS LASA MEMO TO SAC	8	0	NY FILE 100-37158
501	6-28-67	CAPT: CFMS NYSA MEMO TO SAC	6	0	NY FILE 100-37158
502	7-14-67	HQ LETTER TO SECRET SERVICE	1	0	Bufile 100-429455
503	7-14-67	NY REPORT TO HQ	12	0	Bufile 100-429455
503	7-14-67	COPY OF NY REPORT TO HQ	12	0	Bufile 100-429455
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504	6-23-67	CAPT: MORTON SOBELL LASA MEMO TO SAC	4	0	
505		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 6-10-71	0	—	
506	7-25-67	CAPT: MORTON SOBELL HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	BuFILE 101-2483
507	8-14-67	CAPT: L.A. SOBELL comm. LASA MEMO TO SAC	3	2	

File No: 100-128869

Re: ROSE SOBELL

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508	8-31-67	CAPT: LA. SOBELL Comm LASA MEMO TO SAC	5	0	NY FILE 100-37158
509	9-15-67	CAPT: "PEOPLE WORLD" REGIS, ACT LASA MEMO TO SAC	4	0	
510		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 6-10-71	0	—	
511		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
512		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
513		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
514		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
515	12-14-67	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS	1	1	
516	12-18-67	SUBJ. THIRD PARTY LASA MEMO TO SAC	2	0	
517		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 6-10-71	0	—	
518		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
519		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	

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520		DESTROYED PER NYSA MEMO DATED 6-10-71	0	—	
521		SAME AS ABOVE	0	—	
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Walter J. Bell

169849 (daughter-in-law)

Helen

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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: SOBELL, ROSE

Office File 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York 33, New York

Employment: Housewife, Part time saleslady, thrift shop, 1553 St.

Address: Nicholas Ave., New York, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record. b7E

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

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DATE OF ANNUAL 7/16/65

Residence: same [redacted] b7d

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7d

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] b7d

Date: 7/16/65

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

NOTED

SI UNIT

DATE 7-28-65

Employment: same

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation: none

Date Checked 7/14/65

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: REVIEW

Employment Source: [redacted] b7d

Date: 7/16/65

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

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FBI - NEW YORKFD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☒ Yes ☐ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service ☒ Yes ☐ No

File Reviewed: 7/14/65

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials: FyC

Date: 7/15/65

OPEN (OR REOPEN) CASE

ORIGIN: [redacted] DATE: 6-22-65

SUPV: [redacted] SECT: KS

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869)

DATE: 6/23/65

FROM : SUPV. ~~SPY~~ (100-128869)

SUBJECT: ROSE SOBELL  
SM - C

Annual report due.

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Report by 7/1/65  
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To: SAC NEW YORK

Date:

7/7/65

From: SA [REDACTED]

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Subject: ROSE SOBELL  
SM-C

File No: 100-128869

Section 87D, 7b(5) (b), Manual of Instructions, directs that the description and photograph should be placed on the reverse side of the Security Index card. In regard to the photograph, the most recent one should be used if there is a choice. A review of the subject's file reflects there ☒ is ☐ is not a photograph of the above-captioned subject available for placing with the Security Index card. (If more than one photograph is available, the Agent handling the investigation should indicate the photograph to be used.)

Section 87D, 6b(1) (j), and 7b(7), Manual of Instructions, requires that Security Index subjects must be personally observed and such fact specifically noted in the subjects' case files. Has captioned subject been personally observed? ☐ Yes ☐ No. If so, make appropriate entries in the following:

(1) Observed by S. [REDACTED]

(2) Date observed

7/7/65

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(3) Personal observation of subject is indicated in serial

INSTANT SERIAL

Following are descriptive data relating to the subject, which data should be placed on the reverse side of the Security Index card. If subject is already included in the Security Index only those entries necessitating changes in the data posted on the Security Index cards should be made in the blanks below. For example, if subject is personally observed subsequent to his designation for the Security Index, any additional descriptive data developed thereby should be noted in the appropriate spaces to allow their posting on the reverse side of the Security Index cards:

(1) Name and Aliases: ROSE SOBELL

(2) Sex: FEMALE

(3) Race: WHITE

(4) Birth Date: 7/30/44

(5) Height: 5'2"

(6) Weight: 150

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- (7) Build: *Plump*
- (8) Hair: *WHITE*
- (9) Eyes: *GLASSES, VERY THICK LENS - UPPER FRAME OF GLASSES ARE GRAY, PLASTIC & LOWER PART IS CLEAR*
- (10) Complexion:
- (11) Scars and Marks:
- (12) Peculiarities: *WEARS RED SPARE SHOES - LEGS LOOKED SWELLED - WALKS AS IF FEET HURT. WEARS - GOLD WATCH ON RT. ARM*
- (13) Marital Status:
- (14) Immediate Relatives (including the number of minor children):  
*SON - MORTON SUBELL*
- (15) Nationality: *NATURALIZED*
- (16) Birthplace: *Poland*
- (17) Fingerprint Classification:
- (18) FBI or Police Number:
- (19) Social Security Number:
- (20) Residence: *142 LAUREL HILL TERRACE, NYC*
- (21) Occupation:
- (22) Criminal Record, showing sources:
- (23) Seamen's Certificate Number:

Check following, where applicable:

- ☐ Subject should be tabbed for Detcom.
- ☐ The subject is exceedingly dangerous. The following statement should be added to the reverse side of geographical card.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO :

SAC (100 - 128869)

DATE:

7/7/65

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

b7c

SUBJECT:

ROSE SOBELL

SM - C

On 7/6/65 SA [REDACTED] observed the Subject working at the HELEN SOBELL THRIFT SHOP 1553 St. Nicholas Ave., N.Y.C. she was also observed going to lunch & returning after lunch at 12 to 12:30 P.M. b7c

she is described as follows.

Race White  
Sex Female

Height 5'2"

Weight 150

Build Plump

Hair White

Eyes Green

Wear Grey, plastic upper section, glasses.  
Teeth very thick

Complexion Light

Peculiarities

Walks in Red Space shoes - looks like she has sore feet. Her lower legs looked swollen up.

Wear gold metal wrist watch on right arm - wearing no clothing on hand

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SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] b7c b7E

[REDACTED] advised that he  
would make available a recent photograph of the  
subject.  
b7d

Recommendation

Subject's description will be placed on  
an FO 186 + the SI code & an FO 122  
will be sent on the correct name of her past  
time place of employment.

FILE # 100-128869  
SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL  
SERIAL 431 DATE 7-19-65  
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to Executive Order 11652 as it contains  
information which would disclose an intelligence  
source. This serial bears the Classification  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT  
MEMORANDUM

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-27079)

DATE: 9/16/65

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7c

SUBJECT: FAR ROCKAWAY JEWISH READING CIRCLE (YKUF)  
IS-C

Identity of Source [REDACTED] b7d

Description of info

Report on YKUF Far  
Rockaway Reading Circle  
Meeting 9/4/65

Date Received

9/7/65

Original where located [REDACTED] b7d

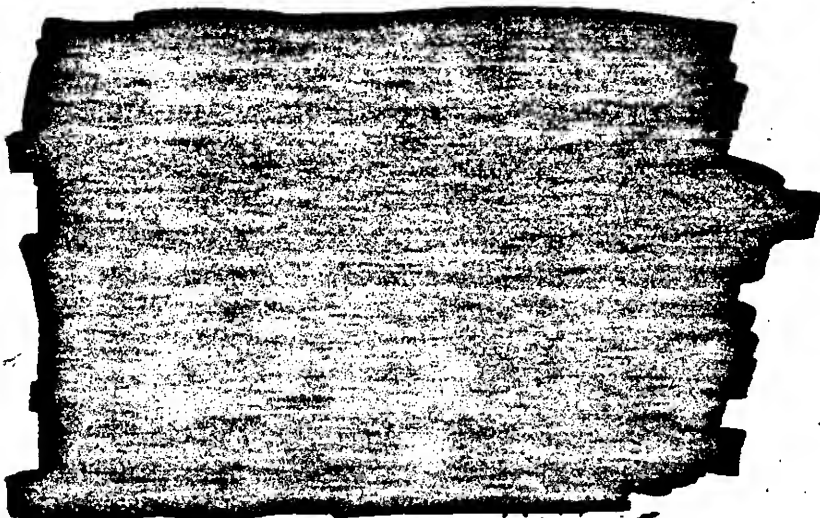
A copy of informant's report follows:

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September 6, 1965

The Far Rockaway Reading Circle held a meeting on September 4th at the TAUBER's home at 6:30 PM, 506 Beach 22nd St. Far Rockaway, NY.

CARL WASSERMAN was chairman .

JACK TOON read a sketch by SHWLEM ALLEICHEM  
LILY ZUKOWSKY read two scenes from a book  
which was written by SAM LIPTZIN in Yiddish and was  
translated into English.

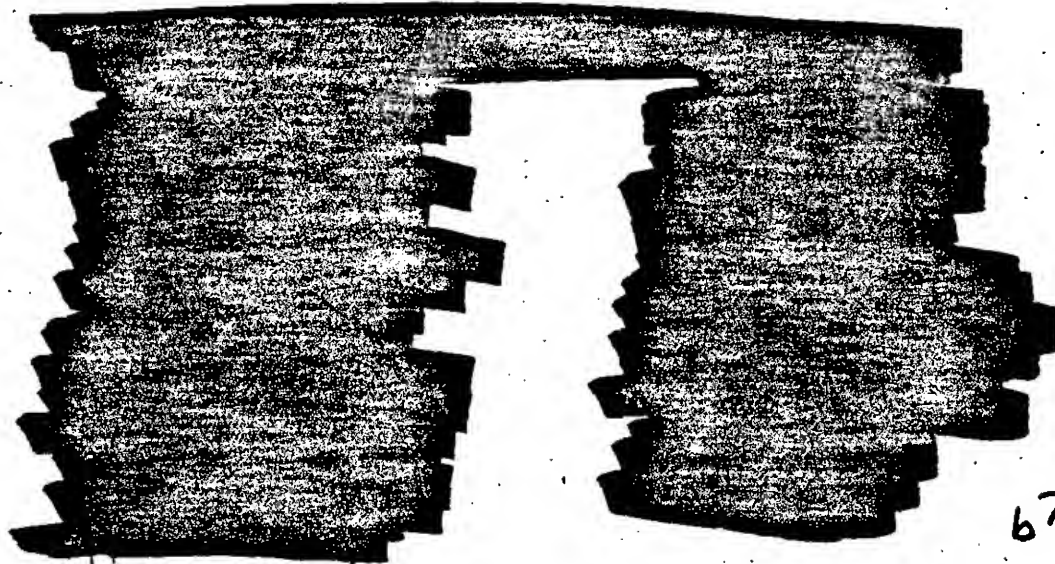
SAM LIPTZIN read a scene of his writings  
A light meal with drinks were served.

SAM LIPTZIN delivered a speech emphasizing that the Ikuf is one of the most important branch in the progressive movement. It has branches all over the U.S. Canada and Latin American countries, and is affiliated with all Socialist countries. It prints various books, pamphlets etc. and keeps up the Yiddish Literature and participate in all progressive activities.

He appealed for donations and \$156 was collected.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 PM.

About 35 people attended.



## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: SOBELL, ROSE

Office File 100-121869

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Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York 33, New York

Employment: Part-time Saleslady, Helen Sobell Thrift Shop

Address: 1553 St. Nicholas Avenue

New York, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☐ No ☒ Yes; photograph on Security Index card is most current or best likeness of subject.

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record. b7E

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

425 Residence: SAME DATE OF ANNUAL 7/16/66

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] b7E

Date: 1/21/66

Verified by SA [redacted] b7E

Employment: SAME

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation: none

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E

Employment Source: [redacted] b7E

Date: 1/21/66

Verified by SA [redacted] b7E

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed 1/21/66

☐ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials FKG

Date 1/29/66

S.S. memo dated 7/7/65 serial 426

WIFE OF SUPT.

Chief Clerk

Close Case on [redacted]

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MEMORANDUM RE: SOBELL, ROSE

Office File 100-128869

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Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York 33, New York

Employment: Part-time Saleslady, Helen Sobell Thrift Shop, 1553 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York, New York

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No  
Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Delcom ☐ Yes ☒ No  
Photo ☒ Yes ☐ No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

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Residence:

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

Employment:

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Delcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria

☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials

Date

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MEMORANDUM RE: ROSE SOBELL

Office File 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 142 Laurel Hill Terrace, New York 33, New York

Employment: Part time Saleslady, Helen Sobell Thrift Shop

Address: 1553 St. Nicholas Avenue, New York, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No Detcom ☐ Yes ☒ No  
Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No Photo ☒ Yes ☐ No

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SI UNIT  
DATE 2/27/67

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial 7/25

Residence:

Method of Verification: INTERVIEW

DATE OF ANNUAL 7/15/61

Neighborhood Source [redacted] b7d

Date: 11-7-67

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

Employment:

Address: Same

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Defense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Tab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verificat [redacted] b7E

Employment Source:

Date: 1-5

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

Photograph on SI card

of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☒ Yes ☐ No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☒ Yes ☐ No

File Reviewed 2/22/67

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria

☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [signature]

Date 2/27/67

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ORIGIN [redacted] DATE 1/16/65  
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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE:

Rose Sobell

Office File

100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence:

UNKNOWN

Employment:

PART TIME Sales lady, HELEN Sobell  
THRIFT Shop.

Address:

1563 St Nicholas Ave., N.Y., NY

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Detcom

☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Photo

☒ Yes ☐ No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

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A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

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Residence:

56 7th Ave., N.Y., NY

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source:

Date:

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Verified by SA:

Employment:

RETIRED

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date:

4/26/67

Verified by SA:

Photograph on SI card

☒ Yes ☐ No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau

☒ Yes ☐ No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service

☒ Yes ☐ No

File Reviewed

4/26/67

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials

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Date

4/26/67

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Chief Clerk

Close Case on this.

4-26-67 JRP 115

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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: ROSE SOBELL

Office File 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 56 7th Avenue, New York, New York

Employment: Retired

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ NoNOTED  
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DATE 7-31-67  
*June*

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial 425

Residence: SAME

DATE OF ANNUAL 7/15/67

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7c

Neighborhood Source:

Date: 7/11/67

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

Employment: SAME

Address: SAME

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☐ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☐ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☐ NoMethod of Verification: *See above*Employment Source: *See above*

Date: 7/11/67

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7c

Photograph on SI card is [redacted] of best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ NoFD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed 7/11/67

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI CriteriaAgent's Initials *June*Date 7/11/67  
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Date: 5/4/67

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☐ written by Informant

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to

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Authenticated  
by informant

Date of Report

4/14/67

Date(s) of activity 4/24/77

4/11/67

**Brief description of activity or material**

**Birthday Celebration for MORTON SOBELL.**

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES  
AND FIELD OFFICES  
ADVISED BY ROUTING  
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NY 100-107111

April 14, 1967

On Tuesday, April 11, 1967 from 7-10 P.M. in the Hunter College Assembly Hall on 69th Street between Park and Lexington Avenues, N.Y., N.Y. a 50th birthday meeting for MORTON SOBELL was held.

There were about 600 persons present.

[REDACTED]

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Literature was distributed before, during and after the meeting.

The meeting was conducted as follows:

Dr. HENRY LINSCHITZ, University of California professor of chemistry, in showing a slide of the A-bomb sketch which the U.S. government used as evidence against MORTON SOBELL, stated that a foreign power could not have developed the bomb from that diagram especially as it lacked a scale of measurement.

|| Mrs. ROSE SOBELL, mother of MORTON SOBELL, stated that she had visited her son recently and that he looks well.

Dr. PHILIP MORRISON, M.I.T. physics professor, gave a history of the development of the A-bomb. He stated that at the time of the trial when expert witnesses were needed, few came forward.

Mrs. SOBELL, wife of MORTON SOBELL, spoke of the 17 years her husband has spent in jail as a victory through his example of living and thinking. Mrs. SOBELL appealed for contributions to defray the legal costs of her husband's struggle for freedom. Mrs. SOBELL announced that \$3,400.00 was collected from the audience and others throughout the country.

Dr. HAROLD C. UREY, Nobel prize winner, stated that he did not have an opinion on MORTON SOBELL until he read a transcript of the trial. He stated that he is convinced that MORTON SOBELL is innocent.

BARBARA GAINES (phonetic) sang a few songs.

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)  
FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7c  
SUBJECT: COMMITTEE TO FREE MORTON SOBELL  
IS-C

Date: 5/5/67

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by Informant \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Report

4/12/67

Date(s) of activity

4/11/67

Brief description of activity or material

CSFMS 50th birthday celebration for

MORTON SOBELL 4/11/67.

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Remarks:

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NY 100-107111


April 12, 1967

On Tuesday evening April 11, 1967 A Fiftieth Birthday Celebration for MORTON SOBELL sponsored by The Morton Sobell Committee was held in the auditorium of Hunter College, E. 69th St. & Park Ave. N.Y.C.

Time 7:00 - 8:15 P.M.

There were approximately 1000 people present including the following:

WALTER & MURIEL SHNIER	- Chairman
Prof. LINSCHITZ	} Speakers
PHILLIP MORRISON	
ROSE SOBELL	

 b7d  
Prof LINSCHITZ and PHILLIP MORRISON approached The Sobell case from a scientific point of view.

Prof. LINSCHITZ further remarked that Mr. GREENGLASS committed perjury but since he was testifying for the Government he was not charged with this offense.

Most of the material used was based on a book written by The SCHNIERS.

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SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL  
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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-41648)

DATE: 8/14/67

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~  
CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL ATTACHED

SUBJECT: LOS ANGELES SOBELL COMMITTEE (LASC)  
IS-C

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	7/28/67	Writer	[REDACTED] (WR)

Informant's report has been Xeroxed and is attached.

ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

CC: 1 NEW YORK (REGISTERED)  
100- (ROSE SOBELL)

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES  
AND FIELD OFFICES  
ADVISED BY ROUTING  
SLIP (S) OF C/955  
DATE 8-10-78

CEW:LAL  
(7)

Read by [signature]

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APPENDIX

COMMITTEE TO FREE MORTON SOBELL

A source advised on May 8, 1967, that the Los Angeles Committee to Free Morton Sobell is the Los Angeles, California, affiliate of captioned organization. In August, 1966, the name "Committee to Free Morton Sobell" first appeared on literature used by the Committee.

"Following the execution of atomic spies ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG in June, 1953, the 'Communist campaign assumed a different emphasis. Its major effort centered upon MORTON SOBELL', the ROSENBERGs co-defendant. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, a Communist front which had been conducting the campaign in the United States, was reconstituted as the National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee at a conference in Chicago in October, 1953, and then as the National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case."

("Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" dated December 1, 1961, issued by the House Committee on Un-American Activities, Page 116.)

In September, 1954, the name "National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell" appeared on literature issued by the Committee. In March, 1955, the name "Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell", first appeared on literature issued by the Committee.

The Address Telephone Directory for the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, published by the New York Telephone Company on August 18, 1966, lists the above Committee's address as 150 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York.

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APPENDIX

FILE # 100-128869

SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL

SERIAL 509 DATE 9-15-67

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is exempt from disclosure, in its entirety,  
under (b)(1) as it has been classified pursuant  
to Executive Order 11652 as it contains  
information which would disclose an intelligence  
source. This serial bears the Classification  
Officers number ~~200~~

## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: ROSE SOBELL

Office File 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 56 7th Avenue, New York, New York

Employment: Retired

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ No

Chief Clerk  
Close Case on this  
1/30/68

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

425 (7/7/65)

Residence: SAME

Method of Verification: INTERVIEW

DATE OF ANNUAL 7-14-68

Neighborhood Source [redacted]

Date: 1/29/68

Verified by SA [redacted]

Employment: SAME

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoTab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: SAME AS ABOVE

Employment Source:

Date: 1/29/68

Verified by SA: [redacted]

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ NoFD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed 1/30/68

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [redacted]

Date 1/30/68

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SUPV [redacted]

DATE

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S. S. MEMO 4/27/67 (Ser. 284)

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SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL

SERIAL 516 DATE 12-18-67

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to Executive Order 11652 as it contains  
information which would disclose an intelligence  
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## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: ROSE SOBELL

Office File 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 56 7th Avenue, New York, New York

Employment: Retired

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDetcom ☐ Yes ☒ NoKey Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhoto ☒ Yes ☐ NoNOTED  
SI UNIT  
DATE 7-17-68  
*June*

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and *b7E* should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

425

DATE OF ANNUAL 7-14-68

Residence: SAME

Method of Verification: INTERVIEW

Neighborhood Source: *b7D*

Date: 7/15/68

Verified by SA: *b7C*

Employment:

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoLab Detcom: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification: Same As Above

Employment Source:

Date: 7/15/68

Verified by SA: *b7C*Photograph on SI Card is most current or best ☒ Yes ☐ NoFD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed: 7/16/68

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not Meet SI CriteriaAgent's Initials: *JLS*

Date: 7/16/68

S.S. Memo 4/27/67 (SER. 484)

OTHER RECORDED CASE  
ORIGIN *NY* DATE *6-17-68*  
COPY *10* SECT *12*  
*SP-C* *T-14A*

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KAC,

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6-10-71

FROM

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ROSE SOBELL  
IS-C

b7c

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serials listed below was incorporated in a ☒ report ☐ letterhead memorandum dated 6/18/71. Where the serial is accompanied by the file and serial number of the original informant report, the information was not used because it was of no value to the report. The review of the communication checked above was made from 505 through 566.

In accordance with the above, the following serials are to be destroyed.

Volume 7  
Serials 505, 510, 511-514, 517-524,  
526, 531-538, 540, 542-552, 554,  
556, 558-562, 565  
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**Date:**

4/17/71

# Memorandum

DATE:

SUBJECT: *Gene Schmitt, aka*

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serials listed below was incorporated in a report dated 7/14/67. The review for this report was made from serial 455 through serial 492.

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FILE DESCRIPTION

NEW YORK FILE

SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL

FILE NO. 100-128869

VOLUME NO. 8

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File No: 100-128869Re: ROSE SOBELLDate: 3/78  
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
NR	6-10-71	SA MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
526		DESTROYED	0	0	
527	6/21/68	NY LETTER HEAD MEMO RE: COMMITTEE TO FREE M. SOBELL	10	0	SEE NY 100-107111
528	6/21/68	NY AIRTEL TO HQ	2	0	SEE NY 100-37188
529	8/10/68	INDICES SEARCH SLIP	1	1	
530	7/16/68	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 100-429455
531		DESTROYED	0	0	
532		DESTROYED	0	0	
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537		DESTROYED	0	0	

File No: 100-128869 Re: ROSE SOBELLDate: 3/78  
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
538		DESTROYED	0	0	
539	NOT DATED	FD 154 VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION	1	1	
540		DESTROYED	0	0	
541	3/10/69	SA MEMO TO FILE	3	0	SEE NY 100-107111
542		DESTROYED	0	0	
543	3/17/69	NY TO WFO RE: CFMS INFORMANT REPORT	5	0	SEE NY 100-37158
544	2/6/69	INFORMANT REPORT	1	0	SEE NY 100-37158
545	12/19/68	INFORMANT REPORT	7	→	Being Processed <del>SEE NY 100-107111</del>
546	1/21/69	INFORMANT REPORT RE: CFMS	8	0	SEE NY 100-37158
547	3/26/69	NY LETTER TO AL	18	0	SEE NY 100-37158
548	3/28/69	INFORMANT REPORT NY TO AL RE: CFMS	1	0	SEE NY 100-37158
549	4/8/69	INFORMANT REPORT	8	0	SEE NY 100-37158

File No: 100-128869Re: ROSE SOBELLDate: 2/78  
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
550	4/10/69	SA MEMO TO FILE NY TO AL RE: CFMS	3	0	SEE NY 100-109849
551	5/9/69	INFORMANT REPORT	13	0	SEE NY 100-37158
552		DESTROYED	0	0	
553		DESTROYED	0	0	
554		DESTROYED	0	0	
555	7/1/69	RE: NATL. ROSENBERG/SOBELL COMM. SA MEMO TO SAC N.Y.	2	0	SEE NY 100-37158
556		DESTROYED	0	0	
557	8/10/70	SA MEMO TO SAC N.Y. RE: PEOPLE'S WALD REEFS. ACT.	1	1	
558	2/16/71	SA MEMO TO SAC, LA	13	12	
559		DESTROYED	0	0	
560		DESTROYED	0	0	
561		DESTROYED	0	0	

File No: 100-128869Re: ROSE SOBELLDate: 3/78  
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
562		DESTROYED	0	0	
563	3/23/71	RE: SCDCP SA MEMO TO SAC, LA	8	0	SEE NY 100-37158
564	4/1/71	RE: PEOPLE'S WORLD REFUGEE ACT SA MEMO TO SAC, LA	9	3	
565		DESTROYED	0	0	
566	4/13/71	RE: SCDCP SA MEMO TO SAC, LA	7	0	SEE NY 100-37158
567	NOT DATED	FD 154 VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION	1	1	
568	6/10/71	FD 376 SECRET SERVICE FORM	1	0	SEE BUFILE 100-429455
569	6/10/71	NY REPORT TO HQ	10	0	SEE BUFILE 100-429455
570	9/13/71	SA MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
571	2/29/72	INFORMANT REPORT	7	0	SEE NY 100-871587
572	6/2/72	SA MEMO TO SAC FD-122	1	1	
573	7/2/72	NY LETTER TO HQ	2	0	dup of 574 SEE BUFILE 100-429455



100-128869

Re:

ROSE SOBELL

Date:

2/78

(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
574	7/3/72	FD 122 NY LETTER TO HQ RE: GJPMF	2	0	START 3-6 NR Following Serial- 36 SEE BUFILE 100-429455
575	10/31/72	INFORMANT REPORT	6	0	
576	3/22/73	NY ROUTING SLIP TO HQ RE: SCDCP	1	1	
577	3/13/73	INFORMANT REPORT	5	4	
578	6/20/73	INFORMANT REPORT	9	0	
579	NOT DATED	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
580	1/11/74	INFORMANT REPORT	15	0	
581	7/18/74	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	2	0	SEE NY 100-37158
582	7/8/74	INFORMANT REPORT RE: NCASF	8	0	SEE NY 100-37158
583	10/14/73	INFORMANT REPORT	21	0	
584	7/1/74	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
585	9/25/74	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	

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**SAC**

Memorandum  
NEW YORK (100-128169)  
DATE: 1

DATE:

6-10-71

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FROM

ROSE SOBELL  
15-C

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serial is listed below was incorporated in a ☒ report ☐ letterhead memorandum dated 6/14/71. Where the serial is accompanied by the file and serial number of the original informant report, the information was not used because it was of no value to the report. The review of the communication checked above was made from 505 through 566. The following serials are to be destroyed.

In accordance with the above, the following serials are to be destroyed.

Report through 566

In accordance with the above, the following serials are to be destroyed.

Volume	Serials to be destroyed or removed
7	505, 510, 511-514, 517-524,
8	526, 531-538, 540, 542-552, 553,
	554, 556, 558-562, 565

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

6/14/21

FILE # 100-128869

SUBJECT Race Shell

SERIAL 545 DATE —

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to Executive Order 11652 as it contains  
information which would disclose an intelligence  
source. This serial bears the Classification  
Officers number [REDACTED]

**DUE: 7/14/68**

Date **6/10/68**

ROSE SOBELL nee Rose Pasternak

Mrs. Louis' Sobel

Address  
56 7th Ave, NYC

**Birth Date**

**Birthplace**

**Poland**

## Trace



**FOR**

**Material**

**Female**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Exact Spelling	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Main Criminal Case Files Only 6/67	<input type="checkbox"/>	Restrict to Locality of _____
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100-128869 -529

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS  
 MEMORANDUM RE: **FRIBBITY III**  
**ROSE SOBELL**

Office File **100-128869**

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: **568 7th Avenue, New York, New York**

Employment: **Retired**

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No Detcon ☐ Yes ☒ No  
 Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No Photo ☐ Yes ☒ No

NOTED  
 SI UNIT  
 DATE **1/3/69**

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [redacted]

Residence: **568 7th Ave NY NY SAME**

Method of Verification:

**MAILBOX**

Neighborhood Source:

Date: **12/30/68**

Verified by SA:

Employment: **Retired SAME**

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No Date Checked **12/30/68**

Defense Facility ☐ Yes ☒ No

Tab Detcon ☐ Yes ☒ No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ No

FD-123 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed:

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria

☐ Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials **bja**

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**100-128869-539**

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 Close Case on this



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 8/10/70

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7c

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7d  
[REDACTED]

On 6/26, 27/70, [REDACTED] (protect by T symbol),  
who has furnished reliable information in the past [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D  
[REDACTED] The Bureau, by letter to all offices, dated  
3/24/60, entitled "Security Investigations of Individuals",  
instructed each office to search [REDACTED]  
through its indices and determine, in the light of the added  
[REDACTED] if additional investigation  
is warranted on those individuals whose names are not included  
in the Security Index. Each office should consider opening  
dead files, when warranted, on the basis of subversive  
references found. b7D

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SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL

SERIAL 558 DATE 2/11/71

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is exempt from disclosure, in ~~its~~ entirety,  
under (b)(7)(D) as information contained in  
this serial would identify an informant to  
whom an expressed promise of confidentiality  
has been given. This information includes  
dates and places of meetings which were  
attended by a limited number of people known  
to the informant and/or information from these  
meetings and situations in which an informant  
was in close contact with members of these  
organizations, disclosure of which would reveal  
his identity.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (97-16)

DATE: 2/16/71

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: PEOPLE'S WORLD  
REGISTRATION ACT

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
[REDACTED] b7D	"Peoples World" Benefit "An Evening with PAUL ROBESON" 1/23/71	2/3/71	Writer	[REDACTED] b7D

Informant's report has been xeroxed and is attached:

2 NEW YORK (REGISTERED)

PROSE SOBELL

CC: [REDACTED] b7D

100-23488 (SCDCP FUNDS)

[REDACTED] (SI)  
b7D, b7C

100-24384 (MAX MILLER) (SI)

100-45377 (EMMA LAZARUS FEDERATION OF JEWISH WOMEN CLUBS)

LFW/amp  
(26)

Read by

KFW

100-128869-558

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LA 97-16

ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

Calif. auto license QLA-297 according to DMV, 2/12/71, registered to a 1957 Volkswagen Sedan in name of [REDACTED] L.A., Sole owner.

All other necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

INDEX:

[REDACTED] b7D.C

FILE #

100-128869

SUBJECT

ROSE SOBELL

SERIAL

564

DATE

4/1/71

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OF WHICH

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (97-16)

DATE: 4/1/71

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: PEOPLES WORLD  
REGISTRATION ACT

SOURCE	ACTIVITY	RECEIVED	AGENT	LOCATION
[REDACTED] b7D	PW Benefit 3/7/71	3/22/71	Writer	[REDACTED] (WR) b7D

Informant's report has been xeroxed and is attached:

2 - NEW YORK (REGISTERED)

[REDACTED] b7C, b7D  
(ROSE SOBELL)

CC: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7C, b7D  
100-65227 (YWLL)  
100-48290 (POLITICAL AFFAIRS)

b7C  
b7D [REDACTED]  
100-76508 (NCFAD)

b7C  
b7D [REDACTED]  
100-25234 (KNITTERS FOR PEACE CLUB)  
100-61427 (BEVERLY FAIRFAX SECTION)

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LFW

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LA 97-16

[REDACTED]

b7C

b7D

ACTION:

Informant was thoroughly interviewed concerning the above and could add nothing further.

All necessary action in connection with this memo has been taken by the writer.

INDEX: "JEWISH AFFAIRS"

[REDACTED]

b7D, c



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APPENDIX

"PEOPLE'S WORLD"

The "People's World" is a west coast communist weekly newspaper in San Francisco, California.

APPENDIX

## VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: SOBELL, ROSE

Office File: 100-128869

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as maintained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 56 7th Avenue, NYC

Employment: Retired

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ No Priority: ☐ I ☒ II ☒ IIIKey Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ No Photo: ☒ Yes ☐ No☐ Yes ☒ No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and ☐ should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial ☐

Residence:

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

Employment:

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked:

Geographical Reference Number:

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoPriority: ☐ I ☐ II ☒ III

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

ARMED AND DANGEROUS: ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhotograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ NoFD-123 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed:

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials:

NOTED  
SI UNIT

DATE 6-15-71

Residence: Same  
Method of Verification: Subject at home 6-3-71

Neighborhood source:

Date: 6-3-71

Verified by SA:

Employment:

Address: Same

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked:

Geographical Reference Number:

Key Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoDefense Facility: ☐ Yes ☒ NoPriority: ☐ I ☐ II ☒ III

Method of Verification:

Employment Source:

Date:

Verified by SA:

ARMED AND DANGEROUS: ☐ Yes ☒ NoPhotograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: ☒ Yes ☐ NoFD-123 should be submitted to Bureau: ☐ Yes ☒ NoA letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: ☐ Yes ☒ No

File Reviewed:

☒ Subject Meets SI Criteria☐ Does not meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials:

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# Memorandum

TO :

SAC, NEW YORK (100-128869)

DATE:

9/13/71

FROM :

SA [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT:

ROSE SOBELL  
SM-C

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 6/2/72

FROM : SUPERVISOR [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: ROSE SOBELL, aka  
SM-C

Bureau airtel to all offices dated 12/23/71, captioned "SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS" instructed that all cases on subjects who were on the Security Index or Reserve Index be opened for the purpose of submitting an FD 122 concerning subjects status on the New ADEX. This case being opened now for the purpose.

To assure uniformity and ease of handling by the ADEX Unit, which will prepare all FD 122s, Agents should rough draft the information for the FD-122 on the special sheet which has been prepared for this purpose.

OPEN (REOPEN) NY CASE 100  
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SUBJECT ROSE SOBELL

SERIAL 575 DATE 10-31-72

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Routing Slip  
FD-4 (Rev. 12-22-69)

To: ☒ Director

Date 3/22/73

Att.: DOMESTIC

INTELLIGENCE

FILE 100-429455

DIVISION

Title Dr. ROSE Sobell, aka  
SM-C

☐ SAC

☐ ASAC

☐ Supv.

OO:NY

☐ Agent

NYfile

☐ SE

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☐ IC

RE Bureau Memorandum 21-72,  
dated 9/12/72

☐ CC

☐ Steno

☐ Clerk

☐ Rotor #:

ACTION DESIRED

☐ Acknowledge

☐ Open Case

☐ Assign — Reassign —

☐ Prepare lead cards

☐ Bring file

☐ Prepare tickler

☐ Call me

☐ Return assignment card

☐ Correct

☐ Return file

☐ Deadline

☐ Search and return

☐ Deadline passed

☐ See me

☐ Delinquent

☐ Serial #

☐ Discontinue

☐ Post ☐ Recharge ☐ Return

☐ Expedite

☐ Send to

☐ File

☐ Submit new charge on

☐ For information

☐ Submit report by

☐ Handle

☐ Type

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

FILE HAS BEEN REVIEWED AND SUBJECT DOES NOT  
MEET CRITERIA FOR INCLUSION ON ADEX AS SET  
FORTH IN REFERENCED BUREAU MEMORANDUM.

CHIEF CLERK,  
CLOSE ON THIS

SAC JOHN F. MALONE

Office NEW YORK

FILE S. Ringo  
EX-4. ON 3/22/73

U.S. GPO: 1971 421-410

File removed from serial # 569 (a YR dated 4/11/71)  
to serial # 575 & there was no charge on subject's status  
to warrant ADEX inclusion.  
Subj. will not be interviewed due to her advanced  
age (79).

Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material  
FD-306 (Rev. 9-30-72)

Date prepared **3/13/73**

Date received **3/13/73**

Received from (name or number) **[REDACTED] b7D**

Received by **SA [REDACTED]**

Method of delivery (check appropriate blocks)

☐ in person ☐ by telephone ☒ by mail ☐ orally ☐ recording device ☒ written by informant **b7C**

If orally furnished and reduced to writing by Agent:

Date **3-11-73**

Date of Report **3-11-73**

Date(s) of activity **3/10/73**

Dictated \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Transcribed \_\_\_\_\_

Authenticated by Informant \_\_\_\_\_

Brief description of activity or material

**SCDCP: Election Campaign rally for Bill Taylor @ 1201 50th St. NY**

File where original is located if not attached **[REDACTED] b7D**

\* INDIVIDUALS DESIGNATED BY AN ASTERISK (\*) ONLY ATTENDED A MEETING AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE. VIOLENCE OR REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES WERE NOT DISCUSSED.

☐ Information recorded on a card index by \_\_\_\_\_ on date \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

**(-1) NEW YORK (RM) (ROSE SOBELL)**

CC: 100-1763 (SCDCP)

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CC: 100-1763

100-23488 (FUNDS)

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(YOUNG WORKERS LIBERATION LEAGUE)  
(HUNGARIAN WORKERS HOME)

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Los Angeles  
California  
11 March, 1973

On Saturday, 10 March, 1973, at 8.00. p.m. a meeting was held at the  
Convention Center, 1201 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles.

Meeting. ---- Election Campaign Rally for William C. ( Bill ) Taylor.

Auspices. ---- Taylor for Controller Campaign Committee.

[REDACTED]

There were number of tables at back of hall.

At table just inside the hall entrance one table.

[REDACTED]

Nearby a small table. Notice. Petition anti - Rodina Bill [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

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Los Angeles  
California  
11 March, 1973

Another table short distance from others, with an assortment of progressive literature for sale. [REDACTED] b7D A few young people about the table. Probably members of the Y.W.L.L. ( Young Workers Liberation League ).

Several people gave out leaflets in vicinity of the hall entrance.

[REDACTED] b7D giving out some of leaflets.

Two of distributed leaflets enclosed.

The meeting called to order by Johnathon Williams ( Negro ) who announced that he was master of ceremonies for the meeting.

Williams made a speech. Spoke of some of his activity as unionist.

Of a case where an employee of sixteen years for the Union Pacific was fired for stealing a pair of shoes. Williams suggested to the management ( representative ) and got the man back his job.

Williams spoke of his first meeting with Ben Dobbs about twenty years ago..

Etc.

Some entertainment.

Mike Jamunz with three others ( males ) sang and played.

A woman sang a few songs.

A young woman played the chello. Two pieces, dedicating them, one to Bill Taylor campaign, the other to the heroic people of Vietnam.

Ben Dobbs made a speech. Spoke of the Taylor election.

Of the need for financial assistance to run a campaign.

Dobbs called for any donations for the campaign of \$100.00. ( usual routine, ask for large amounts, then work down to the dollar bills and loose change ).

Several ushers about, with Taylor committee armbands, ready to take to Dobbs any donations from the audience.

\$100.00 from the [REDACTED] Workers Club. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

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California  
11 March, 1973

Among other donations announced, from Jewish ( American ) Cultural club.  
From Anna Mandelman, from Abraham and Gita ( Galinsky ), etc.

More entertainment.

Earl Soales sang. [REDACTED]

b7D

Among those with committee armbands who helped or were standing about ready to help, with the collection ( take the donations to stage, then pass around the baskets, [REDACTED]

b7D

Bill Taylor came to stage and made his speech.

His speech dealt to extent on what he would do and not do if elected to controller. Not sign a city check for any officer who had ( in effect ) abused his power. No city checks for any project that did not have on its workers, at least 25 percent Blacks ( or Blacks and Chicanos. ).

Taylor spoke of the present Controller. Who knows anything about him. For the money he gets we ( people ) should know. ( what he is doing for them, etc. That since he ( Taylor ) became a candidate, five ( or more ) others have come forward to run for controller. As far as Reddin concerned, though Reddin does not talk so much as Davis ( did ), don't forget Century Plaza ( when Redding the chief of police. Etc.

As for Yorty. Taylor did not mind Yorty's travels, but not at city expense. Taylor would be for a million low rent units construction. No taxation for families earning less than \$15,000.00. a year. Tax the large moneyed concerns. That this city is controlled by 25 families. All extremely wealthy, all white. Etc. ( The collection result announced [REDACTED]

The meeting terminated. More entertainment.

Hall only about half filled. Possibly 250 people. [REDACTED]

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FROM :

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